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 - d. ☒ the concise explanation set forth in the attached English language abstract,
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WO 99/01815 corresponds to US 6,668,325;
WO 00/077597 corresponds to US 6,594,761 and US 2003/221121A1; and
JP 3402441 corresponds to US 6,480,605.
5. ☒ A foreign patent office search report citing one or more of the references is enclosed.

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